

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

JOHN BENTON RAGLAND,

Petitioner,

v.

JASON BENNETT,

Respondent.

Case No. C23-5574-MJP-MLP

ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENT'S  
SECOND MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME

This is a federal habeas action filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2254. This matter comes before the Court on Respondent's second motion for an extension of time to file an answer to Petitioner's petition for writ of habeas corpus. (Dkt. # 10.) Respondent previously requested, and was granted, a 30-day extension of the original deadline. (*See* dkt. ## 8-9.) Respondent now seeks an additional 30 days to file his answer to Petitioner's petition. (Dkt. # 10.) Petitioner has not objected to the requested extension.

Based on the foregoing, the Court hereby ORDERS as follows:

(1) Respondent's unopposed second motion for an extension of time to file his answer to Petitioner's federal habeas petition (dkt. # 10) is GRANTED. Respondent is directed to file and serve his answer not later than ***October 13, 2023***. Respondent is advised that the Court

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1 will not look favorably upon any further requests for extension of time in this matter. Respondent  
2 should therefore ensure that he complies with the newly established deadline.

3 (2) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Petitioner, to counsel for  
4 Respondent, and to the Honorable Marsha J. Pechman.

5 DATED this 2nd day of October, 2023.

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